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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Flodgaard et al.

Application No.: 09/559,764

Group Art Unit: 1644

Filed: April 27, 2000

Examiner: I. Ouspenski

For: Inhibition Of Bradykinin Release

**COMMUNICATION**

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Sir:

The Examiner's attention is directed to an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 which are filed concurrently herewith and which cite a complaint filed against the assignee of this application in U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Georgia, Atlanta Division, alleging, inter alia, that the inventors listed on the publication of this application are incorrect. Applicants note that the complaint has never been served on Applicants or assignee. Therefore, no litigation is pending.

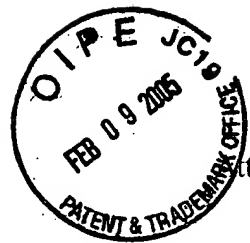
The applicants believe that this allegation is without merit and that the correct inventors have been named. Accordingly, it is believed that the complaint does not constitute any impediment to allowance of the present claims.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (914) 712-0093 if there are any questions regarding this document.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that the attached correspondence comprising:

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